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Social and Personal

Miss Grace Meachain, of Brooklyn, N.
Y., who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. James C. Smyth, on the River Road, for several weeks, Is now visiting Miss Therese Nurney, in Suffolk on the past several years. for several days. Miss Meacham will join Mrs. Smyth in Norfolk on Tuesday, returning to Richmond the latter part of this week.

Attractive Functions.

Invitations Out.

phine Mann, to H. Powell Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Chapman, of Salem. The announcement was made on Saturday at a luncheon given for fourteen of the bride's friends. Dec-orations were in pink flowers, and a silver basket of sweet peas was used as a centrepiece for the table. At the end of the first course a dainty page appeared and presented telegrams to guest, containing the announce-and the date of the wedding,

Suffrage only of Virginia, from which college he graduated in law in 1910. He is now practicing law at Victoria, to which place he will take his bride after their wedding. Woman's

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Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Blackwell Jones, to George E. Allen,

son of George T. Allen and grandson of Colonel R. A. Allen, of Lunenburg County, will be celebrated on May 20.

at 5 o'clock. The ceremony will be performed in the Jonesboro Bastist

Church, in Lunenburg County. The announcement is of much interest to Virginia society, Miss Jones having a

great many friends here and in Wash-

ington, where she was educated. Mr. Allen is an alumnus of the Virginia

Polytechnic Institute and the Univer-sity of Virginia, from which college

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Moss, of Booker, announce the engagement and ap-proaching marriage of their daughter.

Beatrice Wilson to Mac Howle Doble, of Atlanta, Ga. The wedding will be

Arthurs and Mrs. Richard H. Diggs. The governors are George M. Gaither, Jr., (secretary), William H. Fisher, Jr., (secretary). William H. Fisher, Jr., Magruder Thompson, Jr., William Appold Wood, William R. Cole, William Bevan, William H. Lucas, W. Guy Dulany, Augustus D. Clemens and Dr. Charles Waters

Charles Waters,

Engagement Announced.

celebrated some time in June

Allen-Jones.

At the Art Club.

A charming feature of this week at the Art Club of Richmond is an exhibition of water colors from the National Federation of Artists. There are some lovely pictures exhibited, and a great deal of interest has been shown in the work. For the regular Tuesday afternoon lecture this week Mrs. Jeffrey Montague will explain this exhibition of water colors to club members and their guests in a very delightful and informal little taik. Tea will be served at the conclusion of Mrs. Montague's valk by the members of the louse committee.

Invitations Out.

Mrs. Mary Pace Groner continued the Dansant entertainment that has been so popular in New York recently, and two entertainments were given on Thursday and Friday at the Hotel Mc-Alpin, from 4 to 7 o'clock each afternoon. One performance was for the benefit of the flood sufferers, at which time M. Maurice, Miss Florence Walton, M. Andre and Mile. Fleuri danced. There was also general dancing, and on Friday Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle danced. A number of Richmond people who are in New York for the spring season have attended these delightful affairs. Mrs. Mary Pace Groner continued the

Invitations Out.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Granby Bell, of Savannah, Ga., have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Anna Elizabeth, to John Lottier Cabell, son of Mrs. Anna Branch Cabell, of this city, the ceremony to take place on the evening of Wednesday, April 23, at 9 o'clock, in the Independent Presplyterian Church, in Savannah. Following the ceremony at the church, a resplicit of the ceremony at the church, a respective of the ceremony at the ceremony at the church, a respective of the ceremony at the church are ceremony at the ce ception will be given in the home of

ception will be given in the home of the bride's parents.

The wedding is of great interest to society in Richmond, where the bride-elect has been much admired during her several visits here, and a number of people from this city will go to Savannah to attend the marriage cere-mony.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Stafford Koeh-ier, of Roanoke, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jose-

ment and the date of the wedding, which will be celebrated some time in the coming autumn.

Miss Koehler is prominently related in Virginia and made her formal debut two seasons ago. Mr. Chapman is also widely connected throughout the State and in Washington and on his mater-

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Called Meeting. Called Meeting.

There will be a called meeting of the Junior Hollywood Memorial Association in Lee Camp Hall this morning at 11 o'cleck. All members are asked to attend, as arrangements for

The Helping Circle of King's Daughters will meet this afternoon at 6 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. H. Parker, 2215 East Broad Street. A full attendance is alread.

full attendance is desired.

There will be a very important meeting of the In the Service of the King Circle of King's Daughters this afternoon at 5 o'clock. This meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Walter Mahoney, on North Thirty-second Street, and all members are urged to be present.

Memorial Day will be made at this

In and Out of Town. Mrs. Alexander Hamilton has returned to Petersburg, after spending a short time in Richmond as the guest of Mrs. William Hodges Mann, at the

where he will spend some time on business before returning to this Misses Etta and Mercer Taliaferro have been recent guests of friends in Lexington, where they attended the V.

Robert W. Daniel is in England,

Dr. S. W. Hobson, of Newport News, has been the recent guest of relatives at Forest Hill, before going to Pow-hatan for a short stay.

Miss Ethel Boudar has returned to city, after a visit to friends in

Mrs. Frank Reed will leave this weck for Roanoke, where she will spend some time with Mrs. R. F. Taylor.

Robert Lee Elanton, who was operated on last week at St. Elizabeth's Hospital here, is improving. Mrs. Harry Tyler, of Toano, will come to Richmond on Wednesday to spend a week with Mrs. Horace Shep-

Miss Cora Lynn, of this city, has been the recent guest of Mrs. C. W. Matthias, in Gordonsville. Miss Jessie Wrigglesworth, of Lynchburg, is spending some time with friends in this city.

Miss Violet Delarue has returned to her home in Ashland, after visiting relatives in Richmond.

Miss Laura Wright, who has been visiting in this city, has returned to her home in Gordonsville.

Davis—Walker.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Heathsville, Va., April 6.—Miss Etta
Walker, of Oceana, and James C.
Davis, were married yesterday by
Rev. L. R. Combs. of the Episcopai
Church, at Lancaster Courthouse.

SEEKS INDICTMENT.

Government Has Prepared Case Against American Cotton Oll Company.
Macon, Ga., April 6.—Announcement
was made here last night by Alexander
Akerman. United States attorney for the Southern District of Georgia, that he will lay before a Federal grand jury, which meets in Augusta Monday morn-ing, evidence looking to the indictment of the American Cotton Oil Company, of New York, under the Sherman anti-trust law.

pany, with branches and affiliations in every cotton State in the Union, has fixed and attempted to fix arbitrarily the price of cotton seed from the produc-ers. One hundred and forty witnesses from every branch of the cotton seed from every branch of the cotton seed industry have been subpoenaed to ap-

Mr. Akerman has been working on Schubert the case for eighteen months, and was instructed to spare no expense in gath-

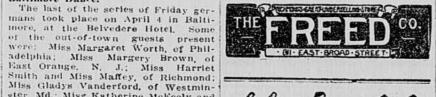
Transportation Company for granting rebates, the latter company paying a fine of \$20,000 at Savannah recently. The Naval Stores acse is pending.

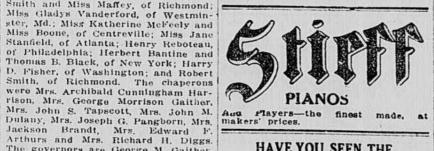
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Meetings This Week.

The regular April meeting of the Richmond branch of the Southern Association of College Women, will be held this afternoon at 5 o'clock in the room just above the library of Richmond College. This is a very important meeting, as plans must be completed for this chapter's part in the annual meeting of Southern College Women, to be held here during the Educational conference.

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BY LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

While the attention of the world is being absorbed by the diplomatic matter in progress in the southeast of Europe on the subject of the territorial advantages to be derived from the Balkan war now drawing to a close, Great Britain is quietly and unobtrusively adding to hor posses. The standard growth of the territorial advantages to be derived from the Balkan government crulser, under the command of Captain Bernier, Royal Navy, is now engaged in the subject of Alaska and the North Piele tween Canadian add and the North Piele tween Canadian and the North Piele to all the land lying between the latter and the northern coast of Canadian.

While there are many who will be a subject of Alaska, at the time of its purchase by the United For wasting good American dollarsonly a few millions—on a frozen waster only a

pathetic role of the younger scions of the reigning houses of Europe. They have literally no career open to them save the army or navy, no profession in which they can find a field for their notivities.

Thus, the Duke of Albany, youngest son of Queen Victoria, wrote to Beaconsfield suggesting that he should be appointed permanent Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, offering to do the work without a salary, in view of the civil list of \$!25,000 a year which he received from the country. Queen Victoria, it may be remembered, took a very active and controlling interest in the direction of foreign affairs, in accordance with her constitutional prerogatives, of which she was very jealous, insisting that the Foreign Secretary was responsible to her primarily, and only in a minor degree to Parliament, and the prince, who, by reason of his dukedom of Albany, occupied a seat in the House of Lords, and was therefore a member of Parliament, considered that he could fulfill much the same role in connection with the foreign affairs of the nation and as intermediary between his mother, the Queen, and Farliament it the matter, as the royal Duke of Cambridge, then commander-be-chief of the acmy, did in military affairs Disraeli's reply, showing the unpopularity of the plan and the danger to the commander-be-chief of the acmy, did in military affairs Disraeli's reply, showing the unpopularity of the plan and the danger to the commander-be-chief of the acmy, did in military affairs by a second to the commander-be-chief of the acmy, did in military affairs by a second to the commander-be-chief of the commander-be-chief of the acmy did in the danger of the commander-be-chief of the acmy did in the danger of the commander-be-chief of the acmy did in the danger of the commander-be-chief of the acmy did in the danger of the commander-be-chief of

state by means of her chisel as a sculp-Prince August William of Prussia

has made a special study of law and of administrative work, in order to fit BY LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY. himself for the duties of civillan Govfailing that, of some Prusslan province, failing that, of some Prusslan province, lacking the military inclinations of the Kaiser's other sons. But greatly to his disgust and disappointment, it has not been considered politic as yet to turn his attainments to account in the manner which he desires.

Duke Adolf Frederick of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, brother of the Prince Consort of the Netherlands, for lack of something better to do. has wound up his career of exploration by securing from the Kaiser an appointment as Governor-General of German West Africa, where he proposes to put all sorts of projects of his own into execution for the development of these colonies, hitherto so costly to the home government. And then there is Prince Louis of Italy, Duke of the Abruzzi, who in the intervals of his service as admiral of the navy, has sought an outlet for his exuberant activities by engaging in successful work as a polar and as a Central African and Himalayan explorer.

This condition of affairs is singularly unfortunate, for it has the effect of rendering scions of the reigning houses discontented with their lot, while canui, pure and simple, drives them into extravagances of a matrimonial, of a financial, and even of a political character. Sheer ennul, and nothling else, is the reason of so many princes of the opposition to the government of their native land and with the malcontents generally. Thus, for instance, the unfortunate Don Henrique of Bourbon, Duke of Seville, after having been illited by Queen Isabella of Spain, was driven by inaction into embarking in a most discreditable conspiracy against her and against the throne, with a view to its overthrow.

In this connection it may be recalled that the late Duke of Fife, brotherin-law of King George, some time before his death, when the governor-generalship of Canada was offered to him, declined it on the ground of his wife's health, but expressed the hope that he might yet live to see each of the great dependencies of the British crown, namely, Canada, Australi

HIGH REGARD FOR COMMISSION.

Clements Denies That He Reflected on

North Carolina Body.

Raleigh, N. C., April 6.—The Corporation Commission has received from Judson C. Clements, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, a letter insisting that he in no way reflected on the Corporation. Commission in a paragraphy. Corporation Commission in any con-versation with Secretary Forester, of the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce, as he was reported to have done in a Washington special, giving a state-ment by Mr. Forester about his appearance before the Interstate Com-mission about the long and short haul clause. On the other hand, he said, he has the highest regard for the courage of the North Carolina Com-

Will Lecture at Staunton.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Staunton, Va., April 6.—Rev. James
Power Smith, D. D., of Richmond, the
only survivor of Stonewall Jackson's
staff, is to deliver his lecture on Jackson here on April 14, under the auspices
of J. E. B. Stuart Chapter U. D. C., and
Stonewall Jackson U. C. V., to arouse
interest in the proposed monument to
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MANY EDUCATORS

Teachers of First District Benefited by Meetings at Fred-

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Fredericksburg, Va., April 6.—The convention of the teachers of the First District of Virginia, which opened here Thursday night, closed with yesterday's sesion. The convention was well attended, the sessions were most interesting and instructive, prominent educators having been among those who delivered addresses on practical and important subjects. Among those educators having been among those who delivered addresses on practical and important subjects. Among those who spoke Friday and Friday night and yesterday were Miss Virginia Stone, of Fredericksburg State ormal School; Merrit J. Lear, of Farmville State Normal School; Dr. J. N. Barney, of Fredericksburg College; Dr. Roland Lickle, of the State Board of Health; F. M. Bristow, of Reedville; W. O. Petty, of Stafford County; Professor Dyce Anderson, of Richmond College; Walter W. Barnhart, principal of Reedville High School; Miss Beulah M. Hinton, of Northumberland County; Professor B. Y. Tyner, of the Fredericksburg State Normal School. Last night Dr. R. E. Blackwell, president of Randolph-Macon College; Hon R. C. Stearnes, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and Professor E. H. Russell, president of the Fredericksburg State Normal School, were the speakers at the session held in Russell Hall at the Normal School. Walter W. Barnhart presided mal School. Walter W. Barnhart pre-Blackwell's subject was "The

Dr. Blackwell's subject was "The Study of English in the High School."

Mr. Stearnes spoke on the subject of education for everybody, and Prof. Russell extended a welcome to the teachers and dwelt on the importance of their work, closing with a reference to some of the national characters of the past and present who had been taken from the schoolhouse, as representing leading thoughts in certain lines. The speech caused much enthusiasm.

Musical numbers were rendered by the pupils of the Normal School under the direction of Miss Margaret Frazer, head of the music department. Following the session a recoption was held and freshments served. At the concluding session to-day Prof. E. H. Russell presided, and the exercises consisted of a "Question Box" and question discussed; an address by J. A. Newbill, of Colonial Beach; an address by G. A. Valden, of Irvington. What kind of teachers the superintendents like was the subject for discussion by all of the superintendents present, the discussion being led by Superintendent of Public Instruction R. C. Stearnes. Prof. A. B. Chandler, Jr., of the State Normal School, delivered an interesting address on the subject. "More Modern Conceptions of Geography." Most of the teachers from a distance left for their homes to-day. The convention has been a great success.

PIANO RECITAL ENJOYED.

ment of Amelia High School.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Amelia, Va., April 6.—A large audience was present Friday night at the Amelia High School to enjoy a piano recital given by students of Miss Virginia Hardaway, who conducted the musical department of the school. An entertaining program was well rendered.

vears ago by the old firm of Crowder & Wallace, and owned for many years by parties in Mississippi, has recently been sold by H. F. Green to H. D. Marshall. Mr. Marshall expects to renovate it thoroughly, put in a glass front, and occupy it.

ELECTION IN BRISTOL.

Temperance People Decide on May 7 as

Date for Vote.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Bristol, Va., April 6.—The temperance people of Bristol have decided on May 9 as the 9 as the date for the vote as to whether the whiskey traffic shall con-tinue to be licensed here. A petition for election will be presented to Judge Kelly on Monday:

> Mme. Navarro (Mary Anderson)



London, April 6 .- Mme. Navarro, who was Mary Anderson, the beautiful American actress, recently paid London one of her rare visits. She was passing through from Ireland, where she ing through from Ireland, where she had paid a visit to Viceroy and Lady Aberdeen, on her way to her magnificent home at Broadway, Worcester-

Mme. Navarro was accompanied by

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Mme. Navarro was accompanied by her son, Antonlo, a very clever youth of seventeen, who has a great passion for music and football.

His mother, who seems to grow younger and more beautiful as time goes on, says that she hopes to pay a visit to New York in the fall.

She is very enthusiastic over the good time she had on her previous visit to the American metropolis a little over a year ago, when she was there to help stage a play.

There is no person in the world who has been offered the sums that Mme. Navarro has to return to the stage, but she has given none of these offers the slightest consideration. She is there

slightest consideration. She is thoroughly devoted to her home and family and to the training of her promising son. As a matter of fact, the former Mary Anderson says she was never, at any time, enamored of the stage, and that towards the end of her histring. any time, enamored of the stage, that towards the end of her histrionic that towards the come almost intolercareer it had become almost intolerable to her. Since her retirement she has appeared a number of times in familiar roles, but only for private charities.

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BIG SCHOOL RALLY AT BUCKINGHAM

Dr. C. Alphonso Smith, of Unix versity of Virginia, Will

cators of the county, to meet the teachcars and to deliver an address upon a topic of importance. Superintendent Plummer F. Jones will deliver an address upon "Industrial Training in the Schools," and Professor J. Walton Hall, of the Dillwyn High School, will speak on history as a special feature in the school. Professor Harry Turner, Professor G. H. Brown and a number of other prominent speakers will be present. It is thought the meeting will be the largest and most intoresting ever held in the county.

A local paper this week contained an article upon the educational advance of the county within the past two or three years, citing the fact that twenty-nine new school libraries, containing all told more than 3,000 volumes of the world's best books, had been placed in the Buckingham schools within the past twenty-four months. The individual drinking oup and sanitary arrangements had also been placed in all the schools of the county.

From present indications, the fruit crep throughout this country this year will be a good one. Cool weather dur-

crop throughout this country this year will be a good one. Cool weather dur-ing March has kept back the buds, and only peach blossoms, which are wide open, would suffer from an early frost. Apple trees are in excellent condition, indicating a good fruit year. Extensive apple orchards which were planted in this section last fall are now budding leaves. One orchard owner recently stated that of his orchard of 1,000 trees planted last fall, not a single tree had died during the

sequently destroyed, but in most in-stances the deposit left upon the lower lands will eventually result in untold good in the way of fertilizing the land. Farmers hereabouts claim that floods from beyond the mountains, as this one was, always improve the lands in this section by depositing quantities

Corn is becoming scarce throughout this section, little being on the market, and that selling at \$0 cents a bushel. Farmers are making prepar-ation for the usual crop of tobacco, some wishing to make one more test of the prices before abandoning the raising of the weed altogether.

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